

8.20.2014 | Information Session  
Immediately followed by FHC Feedback Session

# Family Homelessness Initiative



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# Initiative News & Updates

## Important Announcements

- Reminder: this Friday, August 22: Stakeholder Meeting on Realignment

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## Implementation Strategies

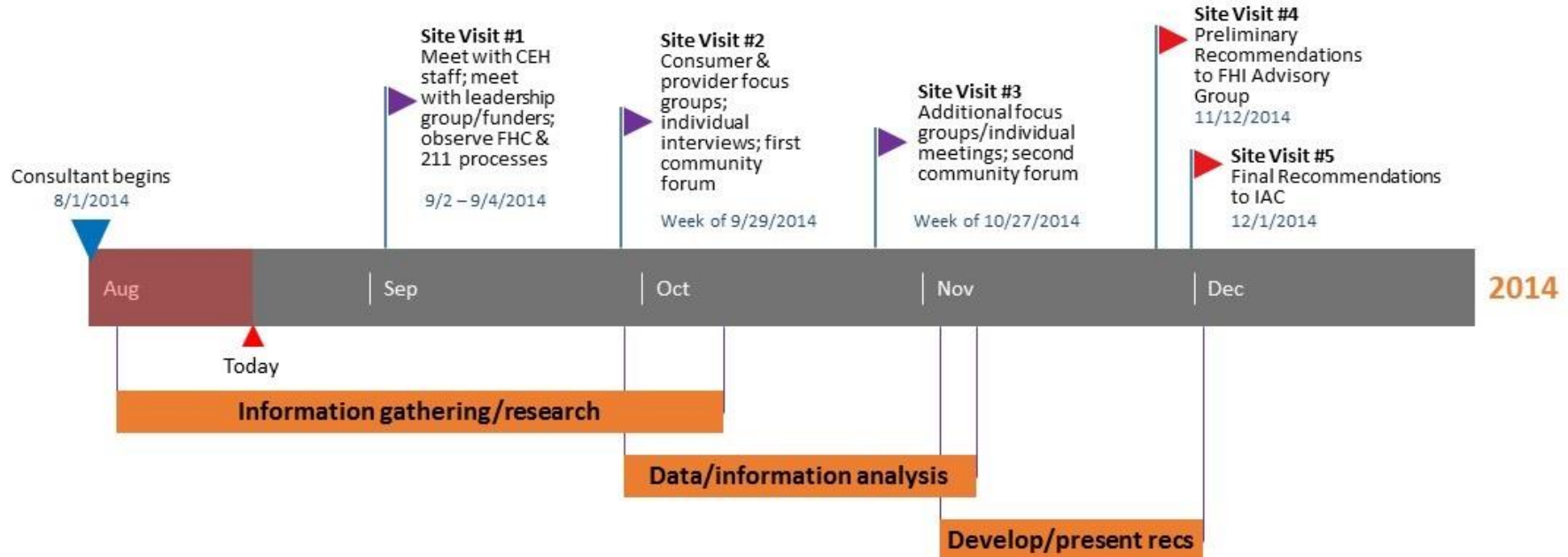
### **Coordinated Entry – Consultant Selected**

- CEH has selected Focus Strategies, a national consulting firm, as the consultant for the CEA analysis and refinement.
- Our lead consultant on the project is Katharine Gale, who has more than 20 years experience in the field of homelessness, special needs housing, and community development
- Goals of the project are to:
  - Conduct an analysis of the current system
  - Identify areas of strengths, challenges, and gaps
  - Make recommendations for changes/refinements

# Coordinated Entry – Consultant Next Steps...



## Coordinated Entry for Families System Analysis Consultant Timeline As of 8/19/2014



8/19/2014

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### **Realignment Process**

- Shifting into Project Analysis process
- Launching other system-wide efforts this Friday

### **System Innovation Grant Proposals Submitted to Building Changes (pending Program Committee Approval in September)**

- Re-Housing and Housing Barrier Assistance
- Risk Mitigation Funds

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### **Rapid Re-Housing for Families Pilot Updates**

- Shifting discussions to program exits, length of assistance, and on-going housing stability
- Steps to support coordination between shelter and RRHF providers

# Opportunities & Other Announcements

## Upcoming Funding or Training Opportunities

- **SKCCH – Helping Homeless Students: McKinney-Vento 101 - Tuesday, August 26<sup>th</sup> -**  
[http://homelessinfo.org/whats\\_hot/training/McKinney\\_Vento\\_101.php?mgs1=6e79gVZ4NO](http://homelessinfo.org/whats_hot/training/McKinney_Vento_101.php?mgs1=6e79gVZ4NO)
- Free Fair Housing Workshops -  
<http://www.kingcounty.gov/exec/CivilRights/FH/FHWorkshops.aspx>
- 5-Week Trauma Informed Online Course- Starting 9/11/14 -  
<http://www.center4si.com/training/schedule.cfm>
- Building Changes Learning Opportunities (webinars) [www.buildingchanges.org](http://www.buildingchanges.org)
  - **Progressive Engagement in Practice: Wednesday, October 1, 10-11:30**
  - Building Partnerships: Wednesday, October 29 10-11:30
  - Working with Landlords: Wednesday November 19 10-12pm

# What's Coming Up

- Next FHI Info Session – September 17, 9-10am (location TBD)  
& FHC Feedback Session - September 17, 10-11am (location TBD)
- System Realignment Learning Opportunity – August 22
- CEH Meetings
  - Next IAC Meeting September 8<sup>th</sup> 2-4 Renton City Hall



Questions/Comments?  
Suggested topics for future sessions?

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